

## ABSTRACT:

An apparatus (100) has an input device (102) for inputting a handwritten message. The apparatus has a recognition unit (106) for recognizing individual handwritten characters in the message. Furthermore, the apparatus has a selection unit (108) for selecting a font on the basis of the handwritten characters. This message is displayed on a display device (104) in the selected font to give the displayed message a style reflecting the personal characteristics of the user's handwriting.

Figure 1